

NEWS OF THE STATE
TOLD IN A LINE

WHAT HAS HAPPENED IN WISCONSIN.

Porter Ross Is Now Charged with Two Murders, the Second Victim Having Died of Her Injuries—A Prominent Milwaukee Man Dead—Church Celebration—Other Notes.

Appleton, March 22.—The death of Kate Duprey of Kaukauna, makes Porter Ross a double murderer, and he now rests under the charge of killing his wife, Nellie Ross, and her sister, Kate Duprey, besides the attempt on the life of Fred Shabon, whom he found with the women in the Beauville resort at Kaukauna, the scene of the tragedy.

Eagle River, Wis., March 22—Charles Bannister, alias Charles Young, was arrested here yesterday on information from Sheriff Waite of Crystal Falls, Mich. He is wanted for forgery of a \$70 check.

Baraboo, Wis., March 22—Burglars entered the store of Stanley & Hoage here and carried off clothing and other goods, the value of which is not yet known.

Suicide at Sheboygan.

Sheboygan, Wis., March 22—William Schuster, aged 76 years, has been missing from his home in this city for three days. He was living with John Kauser who with Nicholas Klein were hunting for him. They found Schuster's body in Delting park, just west of the city. Beside the body was a razor, and twenty gashes along both sides of the arm from hand to elbow showed that he had committed suicide. His mind was deranged.

Deaths in the State.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 22—Alfred Steckel, editor and one of the proprietors of The Excelsior, a German Catholic newspaper of this city, died yesterday at 11:30 o'clock, of pneumonia.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 22—J. P. Lindemann, senior member of the firm of J. P. Lindemann & Sons, died yesterday morning from the effects of a stroke of paralysis.

Church Fifty Years Old.

Menomonee Falls, Wis., March 22—The Emanuel church of the German Evangelistic association of this village celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its organization yesterday. The present pastor, the Rev. H. J. Droeckamp, assisted the official board and members spared no pains to make the occasion one of special interest.

Boy Drowned at Waukesha.

Waukesha, Wis., March 22—Fred Davie, an inmate of the Wisconsin industrial school for boys, was drowned in Fox river. He was fishing drift lumber from the beach railway bridge and fell in. Davie was 16 years old and came to the school from Galeville. He has no parents or guardian.

Barron County Contest.

Barron, Wis., March 22—The contest for county judge in this county is between H. S. Comstock, republican, the present incumbent, and H. G. Ellsworth, the democratic postmaster of this city.

Heavy Sentence for a Murderer.

Port Washington, Wis., March 23—Judge Dick sentenced Ferdinand Wageneck for murder in the second degree to serve twenty-one years in the state's prison at Waupun at hard labor; one day each year, the 26th day of December, to be solitary confinement.

Lumberman Frozen to Death.

Hayward, Wis., March 22—John Fest, a lumberman, was found dead about forty miles from here on the headwaters of the Chippewa river. He apparently got lost in the heavy snow storm and perished within forty rods of a farm house.

To Make Beet Sugar.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 22.—The first beet-sugar refinery in the state will begin operations at Menomonee Falls early this week. The new plant represents an outlay of \$210,000 actual capital, and \$40,000 for labor and materials.

King Humbert Banquets Selfridge.

Rome, March 22—King Humbert gave a banquet Sunday night in honor of Admiral Selfridge. One hundred American sailors have arrived here, and were enthusiastically received by the populace.

Honor the Old Kaiser.

Berlin, March 22—The Kaiser Wilhelm I. centenary fêtes will begin Tuesday, which has been officially declared and will be everywhere observed as a national holiday.

Marquis of Salisbury Better.

London, March 22—The Marquis of Salisbury is still confined to his bed with influenza but is much better. Sunday he received Mr. Balfour and was able to do some routine work.

THIS WEEK IN CONGRESS

Long Sessions in the House for Continued Debate on the Tariff.

Washington, March 22.—The programme of the tariff debate this week is simple, but arduous. The house will sit from 10 o'clock in the morning until 11 o'clock at night, with a recess from 5 until 8 each day for dinner. The general debate will close Thursday night. Beginning Friday the bill will be read for amendment under the five-minute rule, until 3 o'clock on the following Wednesday, March 31, when the bill and pending amendments will be voted upon. The committee on ways and means, by the terms of the special order under which the house will operate, will have the right of way in the matter of amendments, and such amendments can at any time supersede pending amendments of individual members, a provision made to give the committee the fullest power to perfect the bill. The debate will be opened by Mr. Dingley, the chairman of the ways and means, for the majority, either Mr. Bailey of Texas, the selected leader of the minority, or Mr. McMillin of Tennessee, will reply. Mr. Bailey has tendered to Mr. McMillin this privilege, in deference to his long service on the ways and means committee.

The senate will devote the major portion of the week to the consideration of the Anglo-American arbitration treaty. If the appropriation bills, which have passed the house as they were agreed upon in the last session, should be reported to the senate they probably will receive prompt action. The democratic leaders may consider it wise party policy to hold the appropriation bills up until the republican policy in the senate with reference to the tariff is developed.

Inquiry Into Ruiz' Death.

Washington, March 22.—It is expected by the state department officials that the inquiry to be conducted into the causes leading up to the death of Dr. Ruiz, the naturalized American, in a Cuban prison, will soon be commenced.

The investigation will be conducted in Havana or in the place where Ruiz was imprisoned and Consul General Lee will be present in person or will be represented by some one to look after the interests of the family of Dr. Ruiz. Secretary Sherman has expressed the belief that the investigation into the affair will be a thorough and fair one, assurances to that effect having been given by the Spanish government.

Serious Fire in Peoria, Ill.

Peoria, Ill., March 22.—Shortly before 3 o'clock Sunday morning fire broke out on the second floor of the Conigisky Block, in North Adams street. A general alarm was sent in, but it was not until noon that the fire was extinguished. From the Conigisky Building the flames spread to the Murphy Block. The block owned by J. Farrell, adjoining the Conigisky Building, took fire, but was not badly damaged. Nothing is known as to the origin of the fire. The total loss amounts to about \$100,000.

Irishmen to Show Gratitude.

Dublin, March 22.—The lord mayor of Dublin has issued invitations to a meeting at the mansion house there to float a Parnell family fund. Already a considerable sum has been collected for the project, and it is expected it will meet with great success. It is learned that not only Mr. Parnell's mother, Mrs. Delia Parnell, but his brother, John Parnell, are in pecuniary want, and but for the prompt action of Mr. Redmond and others they would have lost the family estate in Wicklow.

Greek Government Protests.

Athens, March 22.—In answer to the protest of the Greek government against the sinking of a Greek vessel by an Austrian gunboat off the coast of Crete, the Austrian charge d'affaires has replied that the firing upon the vessel referred to was provoked by an insurgent attack upon the gunboat. The Greek government has consented to await the result of the inquiries which are being made into the affair.

Heavy Cuban Losses.

Havana, March 22.—During the ten days ending Thursday the insurgents lost 423 killed, among them one leader, eight officers, three prefects, besides eight who were taken prisoners and 188 who surrendered. They lost 164 firearms and 107 sidearms. The Spanish loss during the same period was three officers and forty-two soldiers killed, sixteen officers and 268 soldiers wounded.

National War College.

Newport, R. I., March 22.—The regular session of the National War College will begin Tuesday, June 1, and end Friday, Oct. 1. Twenty-five officers will be detailed for attendance, from whom five will be selected to continue the work during the winter. Of the officers detailed twenty will be above the rank of lieutenants and five below.

To Rescind Forestry Order.

Washington, March 22.—A formal application for rescinding part of President Cleveland's forestry order of Feb. 22 has been filed at the interior department by Senator Wilson of Washington, supported by Representative Jones of the same state.

GREEKS OPEN FIRE
AND SLAY TURKSTHE SHARPSHOOTERS BENT ON
WAR.

Their Officers with Difficulty Prevent a Conflict—Servia Worries the Porte—Entire Greek Nation Is Flocking to Arms—Turkish Troops Are Quartered in the Churches.

Athens, March 22.—Some of the Greek sharpshooters at Pramanda opened fire on the Turks Sunday, and it was only by the most urgent efforts of the Greek officers that a conflict was averted. The Greek military preparations on the frontier continue with ceaseless activity. At Koprina the officials seized 1,000 sacks of flour destined for the Turkish troops at San-gora.

It is rumored here that the Greek government has offered to purchase the island of Crete, and that a gentleman known to be closely connected with the palace party at Constantinople visited Col. Vassos a week ago in the guise of a tourist, charged with secret instructions on the subject. Two Greek officers have arrived here from the camp of Col. Vassos. They report that he is amply provided with all necessary.

Another Greek officer writes accusing the Turks of trying to dynamite the church at Platania when the Greek officers and Cretan insurgents were attending mass for the dead. A Greek vessel, which has returned from Crete, reports that it landed half its cargo, although a French warship fired a blank shot as a warning.

France is understood to support the proposal to make Prince George governor of Crete.

Servia Alarms the Port.

Constantinople, March 22.—The action of the Servian government in calling the reserves and part of the militia to the colors, ostensibly to participate in maneuvers near the Turkish frontier, has caused much anxiety in Turkish official circles. The porto has instructed the railway companies to keep sufficient rolling stock in readiness to convey troops immediately, if necessary, to the Servian frontier. Fifteen battalions will be concentrated at Salonica. Quarters are being prepared for the troops in the mosques and other public buildings of the city.

Greeks Are Arming.

London, March 22.—A dispatch from Constantinople to the Daily Mail says the Greeks in all the islands of the archipelago are arming, drilling and preparing to revolt as soon as war is declared.

DETAILS OF THE HANGING

Jackson and Walling Hanged at New port, Ky., Saturday.

Newport, Ky., March 22—Scott Jackson and Alonzo Walling were hanged here Saturday. Both were strangled and died in great agony. Walling died first.

Both men declared their innocence after the death warrant was read. On arriving at the scaffold the prisoners stood with bowed heads while a prayer was said. At its conclusion they bid farewell to those grouped about them.

Just before leaving his cell, Walling said: "I will tell you now at the last moment of my life that I was not there, and I am innocent of the whole crime Jackson has said as much, but it seems it will not save me. I can say no more," said Walling. "I will say no more on the scaffold."

Jackson and Walling were hung together from the double trap at 11:41½. The crowds cheered lustily when the signal of the black flag went up.

The prisoners both stood with bowed heads saying the prayer. Walling's eyes were closed in prayer, Jackson's open.

When Lee finished the prayer Jackson bade farewell. Walling also bade farewell. Walling whispered "Go, go, go."

Both, swinging in the air, died in great agony. Both were evidently strangled and the necks were not broken, as the struggling was much more than usual. Jackson raised his feet and dropped dead. Walling drew up his feet and his body contracted several times in great agony.

Physicians pronounced both dead and the announcement was made, but the crowds still lingered about the jail. Jackson was dead in six minutes; Walling died first.

Just before the bodies were taken down the crowd rushed up, but was ordered back by Sheriff Plummer. Jackson's face, with the exception of his open mouth and blue lips, was not disfigured. His neck was not broken. The rope made a deep furrow on the neck under the chin. When Jackson's body was placed in the coffin the face was very pale. The lid was placed over him and the curious crowd was not allowed to view the body.

When the black cap was removed from Walling his tongue protruded, his lips fell and were discolored, presenting a horrible sight. Neither of the prisoners' necks was broken.

Khalifa Wishes to Make Peace.

Cairo, March 22.—It is reported here that the Khalifa Abdulah, leader of the dervish hordes in the Soudan, is suing for peace.

THREE MEET DEATH
IN SWOLLEN CREEKFATAL FLOOD ACCIDENT NEAR
LA CROSSE.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernhardt Koch, and Mrs. Koch's Brother Are Drowned When Their Wagon Overturned—Ripon Dams Carried Away—Danger Past at Some Points.

La Crosse, Wis., March 22—[Special]—The first fatal accident due to the flood occurred at 6 o'clock last evening at Louis Valley near this city. The dead.

KOCH, BERNARD
KOCH, MRS. BERNARD
KOCH, JOHN.

Koch is a farmer living near this city. Yesterday afternoon he hitched up his team, and with his wife and the latter's brother John, started for Leon, another small place near Bangor. In crossing one of the streams swelled by the floods the wagon was overturned and all three persons were drowned. The b dies were recovered.

Ripon, Wis., March 22—[Special]—Three dams at this place have been carried out by the freshet, and the water is still rising. The new bridges have been seriously damaged.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 22.—The water has gone down in the Menominee and the people who were driven out Friday night have returned to their homes. The damage on the Milwaukee river has been greatly underestimated and will amount to many thousands of dollars.

Reports from Fond du Lac, Oshkosh, Baraboo, Ripon, Trempealeau, Sheboygan, LaCrosse, Port Washington, Sturgeon Bay and Beloit show that great damage has been done by floods, but the water generally is falling in the streams.

An ice jam which formed in the Milwaukee river at Thiensville, fifteen miles north of this city, broke and carried away the dam at that point. Many of the cellars in the lower part of the city are flooded because of the water backing up in the sewers. However, the damage will not amount to more than \$2,000, as the business men were prepared for the flooding of their basements.

Memphis, Tenn., March 22.—For a distance of fifteen or twenty miles to the south of Osceola, Ark., the levees are broken. Thousands of acres of land are submerged, and vast amounts of movable property have been swept away. So far as is known no lives have been lost. Refugees from the submerged territory were transported to Fulton, on the Tennessee side, as rapidly as possible, so that all of them are secure. A woman was taken from a floating log at this point after she had been floating for three days.

Friars Point reports that about 1,000 hands are working on the Ward lake and main line levees, a strip about nine miles long, and all in a critical condition.

WATERS RISING AT QUINCY.

The Lowlands Flooded and Crops Destroyed—Repairing the Levees.

Quincy, Ill., March 22.—The Mississippi river stands at twelve feet five inches, an advance of over two feet in the last forty-eight hours, the greatest rise ever recorded in the same length of time. The river is out of its banks and the lowlands are being inundated, destroying the crops and driving the stock to the hills out of the reach of the flood. Thousands of acres of fertile lands inside the levees are safe so far, as the levees can stand seven feet of water.

Sioux City, Iowa, March 22.—The Floyd river, which had a considerable part of Sioux City under water last week, is again within its banks. The Big Sioux, however, is still rising, and doing damage between Sioux City and Sioux Falls. Other streams in this locality are about stationary. Bridges all out everywhere, and little damage is left to be done, even should there be another rise. The Mississippi is rising, but remains within its banks.

Reports from Otoe and Correctionville, this county, indicate a tremendous rise in the Little Sioux river. Settlers on the bottoms are fleeing to the hills. The big Sioux is failing. The water engulfed several carloads of cattle on the bank.

Burlington, Iowa, March 22.—The river is seven feet five inches above low-water mark and still rising. Much damage is reported in caving of terraces and culverts about the city.

Norfolk, Neb., March 22.—The north fork of the Elkhorn river has overflowed its banks, and the valley between here and Pierce is flooded. The southeast portion of the residence district is under water.

Fremont, Neb., March 22.—The Platte river is subsiding, and is now within its banks here. The Elkhorn is high, and advises from up the river that it is still rising.

Omaha, Neb., March 22.—More ice passed down the Missouri river Sunday than has been seen for a long time, but so far as is known no damage was done.

Dubuque, Iowa, March 22.—Cooler weather has stopped the rise of the Mississippi here. Charles City reports a rise of four feet in the Cedar river, and at Cedar Falls a large force of men and teams are at work building dikes to protect people on the lowlands from the united floods of the Cedar and Shell Rock rivers.

Situation at Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., March 22.—The Cumberland river marks forty-eight feet on the gauge and is falling rapidly, the fall being now over a foot since 6 o'clock Sunday morning. It will be several days before the mills and manufacturers on the east side will be able to resume operations, even if there is no more rain, but the cessation of the rise saves the lumber yards, which were being greatly endangered. This city is cut off from railroad communication with Memphis.

Louis Schultz of Alton, Ill., and Albert Flick of St. Louis, two itinerant traders, were caught in a swift current in the Forked Deer river at Jackson, Tenn., their boat swamped and Schultz was drowned. Flick escaped to the shore after drifting some distance.

Suffering in Missouri.

Charleston, Mo., March 22.—The flood situation remains unchanged here. Reports are beginning to come of suffering in Wolf Island and James Bayou townships, neither of which has the protection of levees and both of which

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

BEYOND THE CARES OF EARTH. JANESEVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Ruby Schoonover.

Miss Ruby Schoonover died March 18 at the residence of Douglas Hopkins, Fulton township. She was a niece of Mrs. Hopkins and she only daughter of Charles Schoonover. She was also a grand daughter of Harry Story, one of Janesville's pioneers. He and his estimable wife, who have both passed over the river, were the first couple married in the rural hamlet of Janesville, he going to Racine on horseback to procure a license.

Seventeen years ago last June their only daughter, Mrs. Charles Schoonover fell a victim to that dread disease consumption, leaving an infant daughter, the subject of this sketch, at the tender age of six weeks. The young mother lived to see her growing strong and beautiful, named her Ruby, and then her spirit took its flight into the great beyond, leaving her jewel to the tender care of her mother.

Eleven years last January she was again robbed by death of the only mother she had ever known. Since that time she has resided with her aunt, who has been all that a mother could be to her. It became evident last fall that consumption, that dread disease that so early deprived her of a mother's love, was fast making inroads on the delicate frame. Loving hands did all that could be done, but death has conquered all.

She was a marvel of tenderness and affection, and by her pleasant ways and kindly disposition endeared herself to all with whom she came in contact.

She found all that was bright in life, and gathered in the sunshine, as one glance at that beautiful face lit with lustrous eyes testified. She would have been eighteen years old next month, and was looking forward with pleasure to that beautiful springtime.

She was confined to her bed about one month, and during her brief illness she bore it all with patience and fortitude. She had a brave heart but the barque was frail and in the fitful storm of life she battled with the waves of sickness and pain, but drifted back into the haven of rest.

Our great teacher writes many a bright lesson on the blackboard of affliction and sometime even all life's lessons have been learned and we push ajar the gates of life and stand within them we shall see how all God's plans were right and what seemed the hand of affliction, was love most true.

C. A. G.

It is surprising what a "wee bit" or a thing can accomplish. Sick headache, constipation, dyspepsia, sour stomach, dizziness, are quickly banished by De Witt's Little Early Risers. Small pill. Safe pill. Best pill. C. D. Stevens.

His Unfortunate Selection. He said that when he left college he would hitch his chariot to a star."

"He did so; but unfortunately he selected a fixed orb for the purpose."

N. Y. Truth.

Not a Great Loss. Hewitt—I hear that your wife has eloped.

Jewett—Yes, but it was no great loss; I paid the minister only \$5 for her.

Town Topics.

Why Baby Wept.

New Father—What's the baby crying for?

Mother—Because I told him he looked like you.—Tit-Bits.

E. E. Turner, of Compton, Mo., writes us that after suffering from piles for seventeen years, he completely cured them by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures eczema and severe skin diseases. C. D. Stevens.

The Hot Spring located in the Black Hills of South Dakota have wonderful medicinal properties for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. Ry.

Torturing, itching, scaly skin eruptions, burns and scalds are soothed at once and promptly healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the best known cure for piles. C. D. Stevens.

Very Low Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

Many cases of "Gripe" have lately been cured by One Minute Cough Cure. This preparation seems especially adapted to the cure of this disease. It acts quickly thus preventing serious complications and bad effects in which this disease often leaves the patient. C. D. Stevens.

Relief in Six Hours. Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease may be relieved by "New" Rock Brook Improvement Company. The new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by E. B. Helmstreet, druggist, Janesville, Wis.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, relieves all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

One minute is all the time necessary to decide from personal experience that One Minute Cough Cure does what its name implies. C. D. Stevens.

JANESEVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations on Grain and Produce are reported for The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

Wheat—Good to best Patent, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per sack.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25¢ per 10 lb. sack.

WHEAT—Fair to best quality 65¢ to 75¢.

BUCKWHEAT—30¢ to 35¢ per 50 lbs.

WHEAT—At \$37¢ to 40¢ per 50 lbs.

SARLBY—Ranges, 18¢ to 24¢ according to quality.

OATS—Old, 18¢ to 20¢; new, per 75 lbs., 14¢ to 15¢.

OATS—White, 13¢ to 15¢.

COLOVER SEED—\$3.00 to \$3.75 per bushel.

TIMOTHY SEED—8¢ to \$1.00 per bushel.

HAY—Per ton, \$7.00 to \$7.50.

STRAW—\$4.00 to \$5.00 per ton.

MEAL—50¢ per 100 lbs. Bolted \$1.00.

FEED—30¢ to 60¢ per 100 lbs., \$1.00 per ton.

BRAN—45¢ per 100 lbs.; \$8.00 per ton.

MIDDLETONS—50¢ per 100, \$3.00 per ton.

POTATOES—20¢ to 25¢ per bushel.

BUTTER—16¢ to 18¢.

Eggs—17¢ to 18¢ per dozen.

POULTRY—Turkeys, 9¢ to 12¢; chickens, 6¢ to 7¢.

WOOL—10¢ to 12¢ for washed; 8¢ to 10¢ for greased.

HIDES—Green, 5¢ to 6¢; dry, 8¢ to 9¢.

PELTS—Ranges at 15¢ to 45¢ each.

A SLIGHT MISTAKE.

The Eyes Sometimes Deceive.

There are a number of experiences in real life from which interesting facts can be gathered. The treasurer of a large manufacturing concern, whose name need not be given for the purpose of this article has been compelled to give up drinking coffee on account of its effect upon his stomach and nervous system.

It was suggested that he try the health coffee, "Postum Cereal" as that is made of the healthful grains and takes the place of coffee very nicely.

He rather thought it was a foolish step to undertake to use any article with the expectation that it would take the place of coffee which his family used of the best of Mocha and Java mixed.

However, a package was ordered for the house, and the next morning at breakfast the coffee pot came on as usual; when the beverage was poured out and served to him he told the servant that he had ordered some Postum, a new drink, and do not care for the coffee.

A laugh went round the table, and he declined to believe that the rich liquid with the aroma and fragrance that reached his nostrils was the health coffee. Investigation, however, convinced him of the fact, and its use day by day, without the old sick feeling, clinches the argument.

Postum is made by the Postum Cereal Co. (Lim) of Battle Creek, Mich., and has a winning way of its own; when once introduced into the family it answers every purpose of the first coffee without the attendant aches and ills.

Being composed strictly and wholly of the pure cereals is no question or argument or possible doubt regarding the healthful and nourishing properties, for children as well as adults.

There is but one genuine original Postum Cereal Food Coffee, with a multitude of imitations offered as "just as good."

HOME SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama.

In Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

FOR RENT.

A DAY'S NEWS IN THE TOWN.

REPUBLICAN caucuses tomorrow night.

THE Knights of Honor will meet this evening.

THE Associated Charities met this afternoon.

Look up Sanborn's canned goods special tonight.

Miss MAY NORRIS was down from Madison for Sunday.

THE republican caucuses will be held tomorrow night.

THE common council will meet this evening in the city hall.

THE Knights of Pythias will meet this evening at Castle Hall.

ALL republicans should attend the ward caucuses tomorrow night.

ATTEND the republican caucuses on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

JANESEVILLE Lodge, No. 55, F. and A. M. meets tonight at Masonic hall.

THE sale of seats for "Uncle Tom Spruceby" opens at the box office this evening.

8¢ will buy an excellent pair of 87 enamel shoes at Richardson's, Strong & Garfield make.

MRS. FANNIE PHILLIPS is entertaining her brother, S. B. McDonald of Livingston county, Ill.

DR. BUNCE of Oberlin, Ohio, is in town, being called here by the illness of his sister, Mrs. J. H. Myers.

MRS. MARIA GIBBONS, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. J. Buckley, has returned to her home in Clinton.

This is the regular drill night for the Janesville Light Infantry, the Boy's Brigade and the Christ Church Cadets.

THE Royal Neighbors of America will hold their annual banquet and entertainment at Liberty hall this evening.

A COLUMBIA galvanized oil can with faucet, filled with oil 95 cents, filled with gasoline \$1. The retail price of the can alone is \$1. Sanborn & Co.

Signs of spring are very much in evidence at our store and will make glad the hearts of those who are tired of winter. New spring dress goods, new spring caps, new spring silks, new spring millinery, new spring jackets and new spring goods in all lines of dry goods crowd every nook and corner of our salesrooms. Come in and feast your eyes on the display. Looking will not cost you a cent and buying not much more. T. P. Burns.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Look at this!—One of the finest modern style homes in the city. Furnace, hot and cold water, gas, water for baths; in fact, complete in every respect, and offered at \$500 less than actual cost, if taken soon. D. Conger.

FOR SALE—Several new modern style homes, from \$1,800 to \$2,500, on easy terms. Now is your time to buy before the spring rush. D. Conger.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Two good business chances. But little money required. Will take city property. D. Conger.

FOR SALE—Square piano in good condition. Also, my household goods. Enquire of Mrs. George Cummings, 116 North Academy Street.

FOR SALE Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

MONEY TO LOAN—Whitehead, Matheson & Smith.

WANTED.

WANTED solicitors for "McKinley's Battle for Protection and Sound Money." Contains a biography of the author and a chapter on finance by Dr. J. Stevens. Only \$1.50. Commission 50 per cent. Bonanza for agents. Tremendous demand. Credit given. Freight paid. Outfits free. Write quick. The Dominion Company, Dept. G, Chicago.

NOTICE—If you have Western or Southern lands, improved farms, city, village or personal property of any description, list it with me and I can dispose of it for you. D. Conger.

WANTED—Two un furnished rooms, down stairs, with board. Address ABC Gazette.

WANTED—Salesman; salary paid weekly, experience unnecessary; permanent. Brown Brothers Co., Chicago.

WANTED—By young man attending the school—place to work mornings and evenings and Saturdays for board. —Valentine Bros.

TO EXCHANGE—Equities in city property for western land or merchandise. D. Conger.

FORECLOSURE RE-SALE—THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—Rebec a Ward, plaintiff, vs. The Spring Brook Improvement Company, George L. Carrington, Sarah H. Carrington, George J. Hitchcock and James J. Hall, defendant.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of the judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above entitled cause, in a regular term of the circuit court for Rock county, Wisconsin, on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1896, in favor of the above named plaintiff, and against the above named defendants, I shall offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the postoffice in the city of Janesville, on the 22d day of March, A. D. 1897, the following described lands and premises in and by sale judgment of foreclosure directed to be sold, situated in the city of Janesville, county of Rock and state of Wisconsin, and described as follows, to-wit: one (1), two (2), three (3), eight (8), ten (10), twelve (12), fourteen (14), one hundred twenty-seven (127), two hundred twenty-five (225), two hundred nine and two (292), all being in Spring Brook addition to Janesville, according to the duly recorded plat thereof, all of said lots being in the City of Janesville, County of Rock and state of Wisconsin, together with the buildings, fixtures, personal property, appurtenances to the same belonging, or in such thereof as will be necessary to pay judgment and costs and costs of sale.

Dated, Feb. 2, 1897.

THE J. L. ACHESON, Sheriff of Rock Co., Wis.

SUTHERLAND & NOLAN, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

P. O. Address, Janesville, Rock Co., Wis.

W. 346 W.

The above sale is adjourned to the 21st day of April, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m., at same place.

THEO. L. ACHESON, Sheriff of Rock Co., Wis.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

FUTURE FASHIONS.

Gowns of Muslin, Crepon and Foulard For Warm Weather.

There is every indication

THE JANESEVILLE GAZETTE

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1590—Sir Anthony Van Dyke, famous painter, born; died 1641.

1664—Cession of New Netherland to the Duke of York by Charles II of England.

1820—Duel at Bladensburg, Md., between Commodores Barron and Decatur; both wounded, the latter mortally. Decatur was averse to dueling, but consented to satisfy his antagonist, declaring that he would aim at Barron's hip. His shot took effect there. Barron's ball passed through Decatur's body, and he died that night.

1822—Rosa Bonheur, artist, born in Paris. 1832—Goethe, the poet, died at Weimar; born at Frankfurt-on-the-Main 1749.

1889—Stanley Matthews, justice of the supreme court, died at Washington; born 1824.

1892—Dr. David Hayes Agnew, noted surgeon and emeritus professor at the University of Pennsylvania, died.

1892—Lady Isabel Burton, widow of Captain Sir Richard Burton, died in London. Thomas Hughes, author of "Tom Brown's School Days," died at Brighton, England; born 1824.

Republican City Convention.

The Republican city convention will be held at the common council chamber in the city of Janesville, on Wednesday, March 24, 1897, at 2 o'clock p.m., to nominate candidates to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election, and to elect a city committee.

Nominations are to be made following:

Officers: Mayor, Street Commis-

City Clerk, Justice of the Peace.

School Commissioner at Large.

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

The several wards will hold their caucuses on Tuesday evening, March 23, 1897, and elect dele-

gates to said convention as follows:

First Ward—Ten.

Second Ward—Six.

Third Ward—Ten.

Fourth Ward—Eight.

Fifth Ward—Four.

O. F. Nowlan, Chairman.

WARD CAUCUS CALLS ARE OUT

First Ward.

The First ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates and delegates to the city convention to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the next city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the West Side Fire station in this city, on Tuesday, March 23, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. By order WARD COMMITTEE.

Second Ward.

The Second ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates and delegates to the city convention to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the next city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side Fire station in this city, on Tuesday, March 23, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. By order WARD COMMITTEE.

Third Ward.

The Third ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates and delegates to the city convention to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the next city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Court House in this city, on Tuesday, March 23, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. By order WARD COMMITTEE.

Fourth Ward.

The Fourth ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates and delegates to the city convention to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the next city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the council chamber in this city, on Tuesday, March 23, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. By order WARD COMMITTEE.

Fifth Ward.

The Fifth ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates and delegates to the city convention to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the next city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the polling booth in this city on Tuesday, March 23, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. By order WARD COMMITTEE.

NO COMFORT FOR TRUSTS.

It is a significant circumstance that the sugar trust is not going to make its contest against against the tariff bill until that measure goes to the senate. That body is not controlled by the republicans and as a consequence the republican party will not be responsible for any deals which the trust may make or attempt to make in that chamber. It is safe to predict, moreover, that the trust will not get much aid and comfort from republican senators. The republican party has, so far as occasion offered, been fighting the trusts since the first of them, that which controls the manufacture of sugar, was formed ten years ago. This work will keep up. The republicans have a chance here to show that the popular confidence which has been reposed in their party has not been misplaced and they will not again neglect the opportunity in this direction which will be presented in the tariff legislation of the present congress.

LET THE CAUCUSES DECIDE.

Conditions are such that if the republicans will turn out at the caucuses tomorrow night they can insure the best municipal ticket the city has had in years. By careful and intelligent nominations the united support of a great majority of the voters of the city can be insured. Every name on the ward and city tickets should be chosen with discrimination, and the objections to each candidate should be considered before the choice is recorded. If no mistake is made Janesville will give a republican majority this spring that will be a substantial encouragement to

good government and business administration.

DOLLAR WHEAT AND DOLLAR DOLLARS.

It doesn't take 50-cent silver to make dollar wheat. One-dollar wheat and one-dollar dollars are cheerful actualities this week. When wheat went to the dollar line it broke all records for several years and also broke the force of some gloomy Bryanistic wails. Prosperity is in sight for the farmers as well as for everybody else in the halcyon days which the republican party is going to bring.

WELL WORTH AN HOUR'S WORK.

Two years of good ward and city officers are well worth an hour of the individual voter's time tomorrow evening. If all voters participate in the caucuses, moreover, nothing can happen in them without the general approval. Each faction will have a fair chance to be heard and there will be no excuse for half-heartedness later in the campaign.

There will be no money in starring Fitzimmons in a play, unless it is fixed so his wife can sit in a stage box and adjure him to smite his adversary on the slats.

The time to complain about candidates is at the caucus not during the campaign that follows.

LOOK FOR A LOVE LORN MAID.

Janesville Police In Search of a Madison Girl.

Chief Hogan and Officer Appleby made a careful search of the 7:30 St. Paul train, the strength of a message from the Madison police. They were after a "handsome runaway girl of seventeen with black sparkling eyes, and light short hair." The young lady was love-sick and had run away to get married. She was not on the train.

RAILROAD MEN KEPT BUSY

No Further Trouble From the Floods Are Anticipated.

Trains on both the Northwestern and St. Paul roads arrived in the city this morning on time. The numerous small washouts along the tracks have been repaired, and crews of men spent a goodly portion of Sunday in "fixing up." Local section bosses report volumes of water on all low lands, but no further trouble is expected, except in case of another heavy rain.

CARS OF WHEAT SNOW BOUND

Shackleton Mill Material Is Caught In the Snow Storm.

Several cars of wheat consigned to the Shackleton flour mill in this city, are buried in the snow banks of South Dakota. They were shipped from the west and reached Dakota when the blizzard was at its worst. A message sent to Dakota was answered to the effect that the snow where the cars are supposed to be is now even with the tops of the telegraph poles.

CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE.

Chicago, March 22—[Special]—Receipts of wheat at primary markets are much larger than a week ago, being two hundred thousand more in Minneapolis alone. Export clearances are 144,000 compared with 66,000.

Fine spring like weather gave us a weak opening and it was intensified by crop reports in the Tribune, which were really bearish although under bullish head lines. The real meat in them was an acknowledgement in possibility to judge accurately as yet, and I cling to the opinion that general conditions have been favorable. A communion with nature over Sunday also dispelled the illusion that the season is backward. The grass is more than usually advanced but farm work is backward owing to excessive rains, if continued that may tell. Our St. Louis correspondent reports serious crop complaints and that made July relatively firm, while commission houses generally predicted impending liquidation of May wheat. If the elevator people can bring July up to May, then buying their May and selling July and then charge every miller and every shipper ten cents premium for cash wheat it will be a fine thing for them. Don't get fooled but pay for the May wheat when delivered. If July advances it will be on or p scares and then May will advance also. But if you are bound to be a bull buy something that the world must buy back from you inside of 90 days. Don't try to buy new crop contracts of which the supply is unlimited. Try to be a merchant and pay for the goods you buy and do not get hysterical if anybody offers to deliver some wheat to you. Our visible supply decreased one million and the English visible decrease over three and a half million. This is the process which will make cash wheat scarce in May. Corn and provisions shade lower without any new features.

ROBERT LINDBLOM.

Chicago Board of Trade quotations furnished by Robert Lindblom & Co. to Spahn & Law Commission Co., No. 24 West Milwaukee street.

Opening. High. Low. Close.
May Wheat..... 74 1/2 74 1/2 72 1/2
July Wheat..... 71 1/2 72 1/2 71
May Corn..... 24 1/2 24 1/2 24 1/2 24 1/2
July Corn..... 25 1/2 25 1/2 25 1/2 25 1/2
May Oats..... 17 1/2 17 1/2 17 1/2 17 1/2
July Oats..... 18 18 18 18
May Pork..... \$8.85 \$8.85 \$8.72 \$8.72
July Pork..... 8.85 8.85 8.85 8.85
May Short Ribs. 4.20 4.22 4.20 4.20
July Short Ribs. 4.20 4.20 4.20 4.20
Liverpool cables 1/4 penny lower.
Minneapolis and Duluth receipts: Wheat 394
cars. Puts 71%. Calls 73%. Curb 72%.
Chicago Car Lots: Wheat, 17, corn, 157, oats,
181, Chicago hogs 210,000. Estimated for to
row, 18,000.

ASKING QUESTIONS.

IT IS A WOMAN'S PREROGATIVE, AND SHE USES IT.

Timely Questions and Prompt Answers Have Resulted in Great Satisfaction to Many Women.

Sensitive women hate to ask their physicians those delicate questions that only a woman understands, and therefore write to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., as she has ever proved their most accurate adviser, and knowing that their letters will be read and answered by one of their own sex. Thousands of such letters have been received within a few months from those afflicted with the various forms of female diseases, and it is needless to say the answers have brought comfort and relief.

That sense of dragging in the groin, dull pains in small of back, retention, suppression of menses, bearing-down pains, headache, nervousness, blues, etc., are symptoms that require prompt measures.

The cure is, in most cases, rapid. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound should be promptly taken, and Mrs. Pinkham will furnish any advice required, free. Following is another letter of thanks:

"Please accept my thanks for the little book which you have sent me. It has opened my eyes, and told me that there is a remedy for suffering women. There is no need for women to suffer, if they will only take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suffered for years with painful menstruation, thinking there was no remedy for it; but after reading your little pamphlet, I thought I would give your medicine a trial, and it is wonderful how quickly it relieved me. I recommend it for all women who suffer with painful menstruation." —Mrs. GEORGE NEHRBOSS, Crittenton, Erie Co., N. Y.

E. G. FIFIELD'S EARLY JOURNEY

Janesville Man Tells of His Trip From Milwaukee.

E. G. Fifield of Janesville writes to The Sentinel: "I read with a good deal of interest the account of the trip made by Solomon Juesau, G. G. Darling and others, in December, 1836, for the Milwaukee & Rock River Sand company. Mr. Egerton says that the party stopped the first night at Prairieville, where there were several houses. Mr. Ordway says there was no such place as Prairieville until 1839. He also says that in 1838 the town of Prairie village was erected. Mr. Ordway will remember that a great many places were named before there were many laws to legalize the names. Allow me to tell a little experience in June, 1837. I walked from Milwaukee to Bark river mill the 13th and 14th of June, 1837, was directed to follow the blazed line and wagon track through the Milwaukee woods, then after going about a mile I would get to Prairieville. I followed directions and came in sight of a small prairie and to a log house. I inquired the distance to Prairieville. They said I was right in it. I asked if that was the only house. They said there was one across the river behind the hills and that was all of Prairieville, and that was all I could see. From the second house to the mill was thirty miles and no house."

A FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKED.

James J. Dee, of This City Was Quite Painfully Hurt.

A freight train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road was wrecked this side of Beloit Junction Saturday night. Eight cars loaded with merchandise and grain went into a ditch. Three of the cars landed in Turtle Creek. Brakeman James Dee, of this city, was thrown from the top of the train and quite painfully injured about the shoulders. He came to this city after the accident and Dr. Joe Whiting attended him.

Old-Time Minstrel Stricken.
New York, March 22.—Billy Birch, the old time minstrel, was stricken with paralysis Sunday night while attending a meeting of an Elks' lodge. He was removed to his home.

We reface dress skirts and make and repair cloaks. Collarette made to order. Mending and cleaning of all kinds.

MISSES GIBBONS & M'GINLEY,
On the Bridge, Room 10, over Weisend's.

To be in style

Every lady should wear Puffs and Curls, and lots of them. Switches and Hair Goods of all kinds made to order.

MRS. SADLER,

W. Milwaukee St.

If you have been a victim to the traveling nurse agent who has come to you with some high-grade novelty in the shape of an everlasting Raspberry or Strawberry that yields its fruit every month and its leaves are for the healing of the nations. Next time try some of the standard varieties grown near home, of which I have a good stock for this spring trade. Come and see or write.

J. D. CURRY, Footville, Wis.

THE BOSTON STORE.

4 lbs lard, kettle rendered..... 25c

4 lbs Cottolene..... 25c

Butterine, 2 lbs..... 25c

Fancy Sliced Hams, lb..... 12c

Picnic Hams, lb..... 7c

Boneless Ham, lb..... 10c

Pork Loin, lb..... 8c

Boiling Pork, lb..... 7c

Fancy Pig Pork, lb..... 5c

Heavy Bacon, lb..... 7c

Star Bacon, lb..... 8c

Round Steak, lb..... 16c

Porterhouse, lb..... 12c

Best Japan Tea, lb..... 20c

Green Tea, lb..... 15c

Tea Dust, lb..... 12c

Self Rising Buckwheat 7c lb, 4 for 25c

Corn Starch, package..... 5c

Argo Starch, 3 lb package..... 15c

Canned Corn..... 6c

Canned Table fancy Peaches..... 8c

Canned Tomatoes..... 8c

Package Coffee..... 15c

Large pail Jelly..... 29c

Price's Baking Powder, 1 lb can..... 35c

6 lbs evaporated Apples..... 35c

ALL THE NAME IMPLIES

7 and 9 S. River street.

TELEPHONE 239.

STRICTLY CASH PRICES
AT NOLAN BROS.'

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MRS. BURNHAM SUES
TO RECOVER CASHAN INTERESTING CASE IN THE
CIRCUIT COURT.

J. W. Norton, Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Hill, Is Asked For an Accounting—Property Left by Mr. Hill Was Worth \$15,000—Says It Is All Gone.

Before Judge John R. Bennett in the circuit court this afternoon, John W. Norton as administrator for the estate of Thomas Hill deceased, was obliged to give an itemized account of the expenditure of an estate once worth \$15,000. The suit was brought by a sister—Mrs. Mary Burnham—against Mr. Hill to recover about \$3,000 that she claims is still due her. Administrator Norton says that the heirs of the estate have not only used up the value of the estate, but have overdrawn their account several hundred dollars. In 1869 Thos. Hill a resident of Green county died. The will provided that his wife should have the income from this property but that on her death it should go to his sister Mrs. Mary Burnham of New York. After the death of Mr. Hill his wife moved to the city, and resided at the corner of Fifth avenue and Glenn street, till the time of her death about two years ago. Soon after Mrs. Hill's death, Mrs. Mary Burnham made a demand on administrator Norton for the fortune she said was due her, but she was notified that it had all vanished including the residence at the corner of Fifth avenue and Glen streets. Sutherland & Nolan in the interest of Mrs. Burnham have now commenced an action for accounting against Administrator Norton. The latter is defended by Jackson and Jackson.

An action for a divorce and temporary alimony was commenced in the circuit court this afternoon by Mrs. Fanny D. Hollenbeck versus Morris Hollenbeck. Both plaintiff and defendant are prominent society people of Clinton. Mrs. Hollenbeck's plea is desertion, and a motion was made on part of plaintiff for \$20 a month alimony and \$25 suit money.

LOOK FOR A LONG LOST SON.

Danvers Man's People Think Their "Boy" is Here.

Twenty years ago John D. Cameron left his comfortable home in Danvers, Mass., to seek his fortune in Wisconsin. Janesville being the county seat relatives supposed that he would locate here, as he said he was coming to Rock county. The years have been long and dreary ones for his aged father and mother, for they have not seen nor heard from their son since he left. Secretary Judin of the Y. M. C. A., is in receipt of a letter that was forwarded by J. C. Kline, now of Chicago. The letter stated that relatives of Cameron at Danvers, had noticed by the national Y. M. C. A. paper that Mr. Kline was formerly a Janesville resident. They then forwarded him a letter, asking for information concerning their long lost relative, saying that he was a cabinet maker by trade and that his face was badly burned as the result of a powder explosion. Inquiry about the city today failed to reveal any such person.

MAY HOLD A BIG REVIVAL.

The Local Church Leaders Are Talking Up the Plan.

Plans are now being made for an active religious campaign in this city and in all probability Evangelist Connelly, a well known Chicago divine, will be secured. During the past year the workers in the local churches have been discussing the undertaking this work and it is said that the leaders will push the project. During the past two weeks Evangelist Connelly has been in the city of Evansville, and the last few days of his work have resulted in his gaining eighty converts. Local church leaders claim that this number could be made to reach the three hundred mark in this city if an equal interest in the matter was taken by the local church societies. Evangelist Connelly is a man well known in the work, and if he should come to this city there is no doubt but what much good would be done.

Another Special For Ladies.

We have been selling shoes at \$1.47 the past two weeks in great quantities, and have left out of the lot about 350 pair. These we have cut to \$1.17, making them double bargains, you might say. The sizes are fairly good, and the styles and makes are unquestionably good. Every lady who bought the \$1.47 shoes said they were great bargains; so that \$1.17 ought to close out the 350 remaining pair in a hurry. Richardsons.

Another Strike On Canned Goods.

"What they can't eat they can," but not so with our canned goods. Every one of the items we speak of in our large ad tonight are choice articles, prepared in the best possible manner, and are the nicest goods at the price we ever handled. Sanborn & Co.

Half Price Mackintoshes.

We are having a half price sale of ladies' mackintoshes that is particularly interesting for this time of year, the months they are most needed. Garments that sold at \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8 and \$10 are split in half. Rubber circulars that sold at \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50, now go at 25 cents each. Rain garments are cheap with us this week. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A COLUMN OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

REPUBLICAN caucuses tomorrow night.

CHOICE lemons 15 cents a dozen at Sanborns.

35s pairs of ladies shoes \$1.17 at Richardson's.

25, 35, 50 cents Tuesday evening, "Josh Spruceby."

FANCY sour pickles 15 cents a gallon at Sanborn's.

Good sizes, fine shoes for ladies \$1.17 at Richardson's.

The republican caucuses will be held tomorrow night.

CATTLE were received at the stock yards today for shipment.

MONEY to loan on real estate without commission. S. D. Grubb.

\$3.50 buys a pair of patent leather shoes at Bennett & Cram.

The robins are here, so are Bennett & Cram's spring style shoes.

VERY fine shredded cocoanut 15 cents a pound at Sanborn's.

STREET Commissioner Watson's men were out in full force today.

ALL the choice large bananas you want 10c a dozen at Sanborn's.

PLENTY of oranges 10 cents a dozen, three for 25 cents at Sanborns.

ALL republicans should attend the ward caucuses tomorrow night.

ATTEND the republican caucuses on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

DR. G. W. Fifield and Dr. R. J. Brown have joined the Y. M. C. A.

ELEGANT bananas ten cents a dozen All you want of them at Sanborn's.

RICHARDSON tells the ladies of an interesting shoe reduction tonight.

\$1.47 is knocked out and \$1.17 put in instead for those Richardson shoes.

THE inmates at the county asylum will enjoy a dance Wednesday night.

SANBORN & Co. are putting in a large refrigerator especially for fish.

FIFTY cent on the dollar sale of mackintoshes is on at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

J. T. WRIGHT led the Y. M. C. A. meeting yesterday, there being 110 present.

THE High school pupils will give a dancing party in Columbia hall Friday evening.

Do you need a new mackintosh? Bort, Bailey & Co. are selling them at half price.

SHREDDED cocoanut 15 cents per pound; either by the pound or barrel. Sanborn & Co.

THE nicest, sweetest pickle you ever ate, "the Little Midgets" at Sanborn's; 25 cents a quart.

DON'T fail to hear the "Josh Spruceby" orchestra at the Myers Grand Tuesday evening.

We now have the agency for the famous Douglass, \$2.50 and \$3 shoes. Bennett & Cram.

GREATEST shoes you ever saw at \$1.47 even so what do you think of \$1.17. Richardson.

STRAWBERRY short cake makes your mouth water. Strawberries 25 cents a quart at Sanborns.

RICHELIEU brand canned fruit is delicious, you know it if you have tried them. Sanborn & Co.

ABMOUR'S Star hams 11 cents per pound; fancy picnic hams 6½ cents per pound. Sanborn & Co.

LARGE glass book or china case, cost \$18, will be sold for \$8. Inquire of C. Brown, 111 Fourth avenue.

SANBORN has some Baldwin apple bargains. See him for prices. Apples all you want at Sanborn's.

FINE salt pork, fresh and lean, only five cents a pound. Pork is going up all the time. Sanborn & Co.

THE finest that ever came into the city, that Ohio maple sugar at 12½ cents a pound at Sanborn & Co.

MAJOR C. CARON is the proud father of a 9½ pound boy, welcomed at the Caron home, North Bluff street Saturday night.

MR. Gould of the People's Dairy and Mr. Brown of the Forest Home will receive your F. R. M. coupons. A. C. Switzer.

PORK is going up so the market says, but we still sell the best new salt pork, lean and choice, for 5 cents a pound. Sanborn & Co.

WE still have bargains in winter shoes; those nice enamel for men at \$3.50, and the patent leather at \$3.50, are certainly great bargains. Bennett & Cram.

THE Columbia oil can is of galvanized iron; has a faucet, and is worth \$1 retail. We fill it with oil and let you have the whole thing for 95 cents. Sanborn & Co.

Miss Besse Ford is now in charge of the F. R. M. office, Palmer & Bonestee's drug store, and will receive orders, give out coupons or furnish any information on the coupon system. A. C. Switzer.

J. M. Bostwick & Sons have just received some beautiful styles in ladies' embroidered and lace yokes and collars, including the new bolero effects, etc. simply irresistible. Also a large line of novelties.

THE Lowell Hardware Co. tin shop is running full blast; tin and sheet iron work and stove repairing on short notice at the usual low prices. The storage warehouse is ready to receive storage stoves and the entire store will probably open Friday of this week. Keep your eye open for Lowell.

THE finest and most complete line of wall paper ever displayed in the city, all new patterns; window shades, wood and brass curtain poles and room mouldings. No old goods. Everything new and up to date and our prices are the lowest. The new book store. W. J. Skelly, West Milwaukee street.

DO NOT LIKE PLAN
IN USE ON C. & N. W.TRAINMEN AGAINST "DOUBLE
HEADER" SCHEME.

Fact That Two Engines Are Used on One Train, Means a Saving of \$7 a Hundred Miles to the Company, But Idleness For Some of the men.

The Chicago & Northwestern road are now running freight trains out of the city as "double headers," which means the laying off of several brakemen and conductors. This rule which is now in force is not to the liking of the Order of Railway Trainmen. A meeting was held at Trainmen's hall at which time the matter was the chief topic of discussion. With the present system of handling the outgoing freight trains it means a saving the company of \$7 on every train that travels one hundred miles, but it also means the abolishing of one conductor and two brakemen. The expression "double header" means the joining of two trains into one. These trains which will average sixty cars require two engines to pull them but the company claim that the one conductor and two brakemen can handle the same train as easily as the regular crew can handle a train of thirty cars.

If the company insist on running all local freights in this way," said one of the men, "it will mean the laying off of many conductors and brakemen who now reside in this city. But there is another question for the company to consider," continued the speaker, "and that is the danger that is involved in running these long freights. A train of sixty cars is more liable to break in two, and one wreck is liable to cost the company enough money to hire every freight crew that now runs into this city for an entire year."

Whether or not the members of the local lodge are to take further action in the matter has not yet been decided.

CHICAGO "COP" WEDS HERE.

Officer Bishop and Miss McDonald Joined Fortunes In this City.

Edwin E. Bishop a member of the Chicago police force and Miss Lizzie Alice McDonald also of the same city made a flying visit to this city yesterday and were married by Justice M. P. Richardson. They arrived on the noon train, were married at 3 o'clock and returned home on the 7:30 train last evening. The now Mrs. Bishop is a lady of thirty years of age and is well known in Chicago, while the happy groom has been a member of the Chicago police force for years and is considered one of the most reliable officers in the service.

IN THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW

Mrs. James Shields.

Mrs. James Shields died in Kansas City Sunday morning. Her remains will arrive in this city this evening, and will be taken direct to the home of her brother-in-law, Patrick Shields, Riverview Park. She is the widow of the late James Shields, an old resident of Rock county. The funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Funeral of N. A. Swan.

Services over the remains of Napoleon A. Swan were held yesterday afternoon from the Mineral Point residence at 2 o'clock, the interment being in Oak Hill cemetery. Dr. H. A. Palmer assisted by Warren P. Behan, officiated.

Mrs. John Hamilton.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. John Hamilton at Middleton, Pennsylvania. She died Tuesday, March 16.

CITY NEWS IN A PARAGRAPH

Nor \$1.47 but \$1.17 sooes.

WE will have Pillsbury's flour in a few days at \$1.10 a sack.

\$10 mackintoshes go at \$5, \$8 ones go at \$4, and so on down at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

300 new umbrellas just received at Bort, Bailey & Co's. Prices 97 cents, \$1, \$1.19 and \$1.47.

SPECIAL sale for Tuesday, fine table syrup, 10 cents a gallon. Bring your jugs. Winslow.

New style umbrellas, 300 of them, just in at Bort, Bailey & Co's, 97 cents, \$1.19 and \$1.47 for them.

Bear opportunity in the world to get a good mackintosh cheap at Bort, Bailey & Co's half price sale.

Miss Bellinghausen is in Chicago securing pretty millinery for her spring opening which will take place within a short time.

The republican ward caucuses will be held in the various wards of the city Tuesday evening, March 23, at 7:30 o'clock. It is the duty of every republican in the city to attend them.

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

W. W. PORTER was in Edgerton.

S. M. WOY was down from Madison.

DR. JAMES MILLS was called to Milton.

ALDERMAN W. B. Stoddard is able to be out.

MRS. WILL DAVIS spent the day in Milton.

MRS. C. F. YATES spent the day in Madison.

R. B. CRAIG of Rockford Sunday in town.

ALDERMAN George M. McKey visited Madison.

REV. J. E. Harlan was down from Madison.

W. T. VANKIRK spent the day in Madison.

REV. F. A. Pease spent Sunday in Spring Prairie.

GEORGE HATCH left this morning for a visit in Elkhorn.

EMERY DUNBAR the stockbuyer, was here from Footville.

REV. W. F. BROWN now of Beloit spent the day in town.

MR. OLLIE RICHARDS is recovering from a seige of the grip.

H. E. BORKS is able to be down town, after a long illness.

HARVEY CLARK, district attorney of Green county was in town.

MAYOR F. S. Baines was in the Stoughton tobacco market.

MR. E. WIXON is out after a two weeks seige with the grip.

SENATOR John M. Whitehead returned to Madison this morning.

CASHIER C. W. Carpenter of the Brodhead bank, was in town.

Miss Fanny Levy of Cleveland, Ohio, is the guest of local relatives.

DR. W. H. JUDD was called to Milton Junction in consultation.

MRS. I. C. BROWELL spent Sunday with her son George at Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Leahy were up from Chicago to spend Sunday.

CHARLES TURNER was home over Sunday from a trip on the road.

A. M. GLENN has been entertaining the grip since the mid-winter fair.

EX-SHERIFF GEORGE BARCLAY was up from Clinton to spend the day.

F. J. DOWNS and B. L. Dardie of Delavan, spent Sunday in the city.

W. H. ASHCRAFT Jr., is once more on duty after a few days of sickness.

ASSEMBLYMAN W. G. WHEELER was down from the capital city for Sunday.

J. GIBSON, traveling passenger agent for the Northwestern road, was in town.

MRS. W. H. JACOB of Madison who has been the guest of local friends has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Humphrey, St. Mary's avenue, have been sick the past few weeks.

FRANK McNAMARA who is attending the state university has been on the sick list of late.

MR. and Mrs. Charles Levy arrived in the city this noon, from their wedding tour in the east.

MRS. A. M. GLENN who has been confined to her home the past few weeks is slowly improving.

HENRY FLOY of Chicago, is here figuring with Mr. Blabon on machinery for the street car power house.

WHY SUD POORTITH GRIEVE THEE?

Why did poortith grieve thee?
Why be dour o' heart?

Gin thy luv me leave thee,
Flout thee na deceive thee,

Leesome is thy part.

Wha wad aye be busy,
Tentin gowd or gear,

Gin a sonis hizzie,
Meg or Bess or Lizzie,

Litts in meadows near?

Quit thy daur, an' tae
Rin wi' merrie speed!

Yon's the lass. Gae woe her!

Tain her, ye'll rue her

Mair nor muckle need.

Gray age grips the guinea.

Ye ha gowd o' youth.

Kisses, sweet as hiney,

Lakin, ye're a nimy.

Tak' them noo, i' sooth!

—J. L. Heaton in "The Quilting Bee."

HIS TEMPTATION.

"Oh, shut up, Macpherson!"

Walter Macpherson, medical student, who was thus emphatically addressed, finished the verse of the music hall melody he was singing in his musical, if rather boisterous voice, and then turned toward his companion.

"What's up, old man?" he asked, regarding him with a comical look of concern on his good natured face. "You don't look as happy as I've seen you. To quote Glabrio in "The Sign of the Cross": 'Whether is it your liver or your heart that troubles you? If the former, send for the doctor; if the latter, send for the woman.' That advice is invaluable, my dear fellow, and ought to be acted upon at once."

Frank Ross pushed the book he had been poring over away from him impatiently and rose from the table. He was a tall, slightly made lad, very different in appearance from the stalwart Macpherson, with whom he had shared his lodgings for the last two sessions. They were both medical students and in their second last year.

"I wish you'd keep your advice to yourself, Macpherson," he said. "I find it difficult enough to study just now; when you are in the room it's impossible. I cannot imagine how you ever manage to get through your exams. and with honors too."

"You see, I'm not in love, Ross, and that makes a difference. My dear boy," he continued, changing his bantering tone, "I wish you would not worry yourself so much over trifles. You will make yourself ill before the end of the session."

"Trifles!" Ross exclaimed. "Do you call it a trifle that I have not seen her for nearly three weeks and that, although I know she is in town, she has not even written to let me know her address? I tell you, it is enough to drive a fellow mad to be engaged to a girl like that!"

Walter Macpherson glanced at Ross' pained, angry face with a look of sympathy on his own handsome one. Then a dark flush crept gradually over it and he busied himself in lighting his pipe. "Have you not seen Miss Wilson lately, then?" he asked, kindly. He had a disagreeable feeling of disloyalty to his friend in his honest heart as he thought of how only a few nights ago he had met, quite by accident on his part, the young lady in question, and as he had had nothing special to do walked part of the way with her to where she was staying with friends. Somehow he had omitted to mention the meeting to Ross, and of course took it for granted that he knew where she was living and had seen her himself. Macpherson had known Lily Wilson for some time and was on friendly terms with her, as being Frank's intended. She and Frank came from the same town, some distance out of Glasgow, and had known each other all their lives. It was an understood thing that the marriage would take place whenever Ross was through. He made no secret to Macpherson of his all absorbing love for Lily, and Walter, who had never been in love as yet, listened good naturedly, wondering sometimes if any girl was worth troubling so much over, and invariably coming to the conclusion that if such a one existed it was Lily Wilson—Lily, with her yellow hair and tall, willowy figure.

For a moment he hesitated whether to tell Ross of the chance encounter or not, then he made up his mind to say nothing about it. He would try to see her again and tell her how much pain she was causing Frank by her silence. Macpherson had grown very fond of his companion within the last two sessions, and in his own blunt, good natured way would have done almost anything to save him trouble or pain.

"Don't fret over her, Frank," he said, laying his hand on his shoulder. "You will see her soon, I'm convinced of that, and then you will laugh at all your fears and doubts about her."

And Ross' despondency, as usual, gave way before his friend's cheerful and unfailing influence.

That night Walter Macpherson, after his classes were over, went round in the direction of where Lily had told him she was staying in the hopes of seeing her. It was beginning to get dark as he sauntered slowly along toward the gates of the park, where he had met her the previous evening. He had almost given up hope of meeting her, when he saw her slim figure come slowly toward him with a book under her arm. He stopped and raised his hat. There seemed an unusual glow on Lily's fair face as she gave him her hand.

"I have been enjoying the park and a book all afternoon," she said. "We seem destined to meet, Mr. Macpherson."

"I was in hopes of doing so," Walter said in his blunt way, looking from his great height at her gracefully poised head and soft blue eyes, which looked almost black in the gathering dusk. "It is too late for you to be wandering about alone. But since we have met I want to have a talk with you. Let us

take a seat in the park for a short time."

Lily turned with him, and they sat down on an empty seat near the park gates. After a moment's silence Walter said abruptly:

"Frank tells me he has not seen you since you came to town, Miss Wilson? Forgive me for interfering, but is that not rather unfair? He is making himself quite miserable over not hearing from you."

"Does he know you have seen me?" Lily asked, her face, which had been flushed a few moments ago, gradually growing pale.

"No, I have not told him," Macpherson answered. "I know it is quite unintentional on your part, Miss Wilson, for you could not do an unkind action, but you are causing him great pain. I can't bear to see him unhappy. He and I are like brothers, and I know you will excuse me for pleading with you on his behalf. You cannot have any reason for treating him like this, and he does not deserve it. I believe he would cut off his right hand sooner than cause you a moment's pain."

Lily sat quite still for a few minutes after Walter had ceased speaking. He looked at her in surprise. She seemed different from the bright, vivacious girl she used to be. Had she really intentionally kept her address from Frank? Walter had never thought of this before, but had put her conduct down to carelessness.

At last she raised her head and looked at him in the dusk.

"What do you wish me to do?" she asked in a low voice.

"To see Frank at once and put an end to his anxiety and unhappiness, of course. Surely, Miss Wilson, that is what he might naturally expect from his future wife!"

Lily turned on him suddenly and laid her small white gloved hand on his arm.

"You ask me to do this?" she asked passionately.

A curious thrill ran through Walter's arm as she touched him.

"Yes," he answered steadily, "I ask you to do this. Surely it is the mode of action your own heart would dictate?"

"Oh," Lily said in the same low, passionate tone, "you will force me to speak plainly and humiliate myself to the dust! Have you not seen that the bond between Frank and me has become intolerable, unbearable to me—ever since—I met—you?"

The last words were almost a whisper, but Walter heard them. His heart gave a wild throb, then almost ceased to beat. What undreamed of, unheard of thing had happened? Walter Macpherson had none of that vanity with which some men are so plentifully endowed, and he had never thought of the possibility of any woman falling in love with him. And Lily—careless, beautiful Lily! For a moment he thought he must have dreamed that she whispered those last words, then as he saw her face he realized that it had been no dream. Walter thought she had never looked so beautiful as she did now. They were all alone in their corner of the park, and a pale yellow moon was beginning to shed its rays on Lily's golden hair and dark, slight figure so close beside him. For a moment a wild longing to draw her into his arms came over Walter; to take the prize that was so suddenly thrown within his reach. Was it not his by right after what she had said? Then, suddenly remembering Frank, he put the temptation from him. Was he going to betray his friend who had trusted him with his whole heart? A dark flush rose to his brow.

"I am sure you do not mean what your words imply, Miss Wilson," he said. "Believe me, I shall not think of them again. Remember Frank, who has not a thought apart from you, whose ambitions, hopes and dreams for the future are all centered round you, and when the time comes be the true and loving wife to him that he deserves."

Lily, listening to his grave, calm words, did not guess the wild tumult that lay beneath the outward composure. She only felt that she had humiliated herself in vain, and she hid her face in her hands.

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A few days later Frank Ross burst into the little sitting room where Macpherson was poring over his books and executed a dance more distinguished for its violence than its grace in front of Walter's astonished eyes.

"Congratulate me, old fellow! Lily

has consented to marry me at once. She

is an angel and says she does not mind

being a little poor for a year or two un-

til my studies are finished. She agrees

with me that long engagements are a

vast mistake. What a cad I was ever to

doubt the dearest, sweetest girl that

ever lived! You must be best man, Wal-

ter."

"With all my heart," answered Mac-

pherson, giving him his hand. Frank,

in his happiness, which is apt to bring

with it selfishness, did not notice that

his friend's face looked white and

drawn. "And I wish you both the best

of everything that life can give."

"Thanks, old chap," Frank said as

he clasped Macpherson's hand.—Scot-

ish Nights.

A Good Suggestion.

A correspondent of a Boston paper says:

"As far as I have observed, when-

ever a food preparation is put into a

package with printed matter the printed

side is invariably placed near the article

of food, which often happens to be a

standard and superior quality. Why not

reverse the printed slip? Printing ink is

not nutritious, palatable or wholesome,

and such food packages, if allowed to

remain unopened for a long time and if

exposed to heat and moisture, must de-

teriorate in quality and may even be-

come unwholesome."

Vague.

Bildad—What do you think of my

wife?

Ichabod—I think she's a poem; yes,

a poem.

Bildad—Um! A magazine poem. I

can't understand her.—Manchester

News.

Sympathy.

Captain (tostaway)—So, you young rascal, ran away from home, did you? You ought to be thrashed for leaving home and thrashed again for getting aboard a ship without permission.

Stowaway—Please, sir, my sister com-

mcned takin' music lessons an' practicin' scales on the pianer, an' I thought

there wouldn't be no pianers on

ships—

"Come to my arms, my son. I had a musical sister once myself."—N. Y. Weekly.

Absent-Minded.

Soxey—I hear Payst, the editor, is likely to be divorced by his wife for cruelty.

Knoxey—What! He's the meekest of men!

Soxey—It seems she brought home a new dress, which she told him was a perfect poem and he absently tried to throw it in the fire.—Pittsburgh News.

His Limitation.

He can skate a fancy figure on the glittering glary ice;

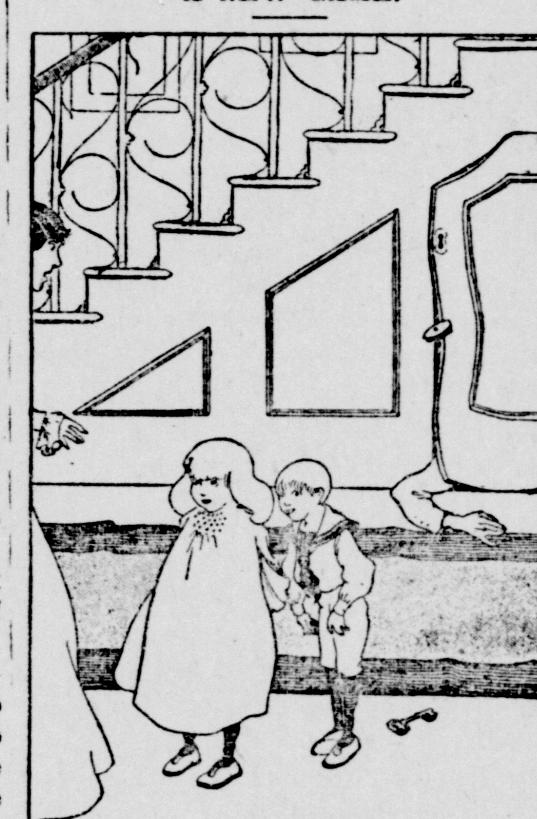
He can dance the dreary two-step in a style that's very nice;

He can have his pick, if ever he's inclined to take a wife,

But he couldn't earn his living if it was to save his life.

—Cleveland Leader.

A NEW GAME.



"Whatever is all this noise about?"

"Oh, mother, such fun; we've locked Daddy up in the cupboard, and when he gets a little angrier Reggie is going into the lion's den."—Idler.

—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Why Baby Got the Prize.

"And so my darling got the prize at the baby show. I knew he would. It couldn't have been otherwise," said Mrs. Youngma to one of the old bachelor judges.

"Yes, madam: we all agreed that your baby was the least objectionable of the lot," replied the brute.—Tit-Bits.

Unheeded.

The caution "Post No Bills," forsooth, Doth often greet the eye.

"Tis plain my tailors needs it not—

My mail will testify. —Up-to-Date.

A gallant Conundrum.

Why are ladies the biggest thieves in existence? Because they steal their petticoats, bone their stays, crib their babies, and hook their dresses.—Golden Penny.

Prepared for It.

Mamie—Is Ethel going to the blow-out?

George—I think so; she's got a fresh supply of powder.—Adams Freeman.

Slangy.

"Is the sail the only thing that guides a ship?" asked the green passenger.

"No," said the mate. "There are rud-

ders."—Indianapolis Journal.

The Last Straw.

May—Why did you let Chollie kiss you?

Pamela—There was no one else to do it.—Town Topics.

A Mismanaged Compliment.

"I guess," remarked Willie Wishing-ton, hopelessly, "that I have said the wrong thing again."

To whom?

"Miss Seeranbaum. I was complimenting her on her costume, and on a venture I told her that she took the part completely—that it was positive life-like. I have just found out the character she was assuming."

THERE'S A BOY IN THE HOUSE.

A racket, a rattle, a rollicking shout
Above and below and around and about.
A whistling, a pounding, a hammering of nails,
The building of houses, the shaping of sails.
Entreaties for paper, for scissors, for string,
For every unfindable, bothersome thing.
A bang of the door, and a dash up the stairs
In the interest of burdensome business affairs.
And an elephant hunt for a bit of a mouse
Made it easy to hear there's a boy in the house.
But, oh, if the tots were not scattered about
And the house never echoed to racket and rout;
If forever the rooms were all tidy and neat,
And one need not brush after wee, muddy feet;
If no one laughed out when the morning was red;
And with kisses went tumbling all tired to bed,
What a wearisome, work a day world don't you see.
For all who loved wild little laddies 'twould be
And I'm happy to think, tho' I shrink like a mouse.
From disorder and din—there's a boy in the house!

—Galveston News.

A DOCTOR'S STORY.

The doctor began:
Our friend the sheriff has just told us a harrowing tale of the brutality of doctors. In defense of my profession I wish to say that, although some medical men are butchers, a greater number are tender hearted men. When all goes well, people consider doctors an evil necessity, but the moment sickness visits a house, they are immediately appealed to, and all the hopes of a family are centered in the doctor. No profession is judged more harshly than that of medicine, because to acquire its science many revolting and seemingly cruel operations are necessary, and people in general think that the student takes a special delight in carving human flesh; that their sole object in life is to make money by the misfortune of others, and to live, as my friend the sheriff put it, the lives of refined butchers. While I admit that in many cases this is true, I wish to show you by the following story that a man may be a Christian and a doctor at the same time.

When I was at college, I had a chum named Charley Baker. Charley was a great student and the most cheerful soul I ever met. Into every life will come times of depression, under which most people sink and give themselves up to despair. Such times visited us at the college, where, far away from home and friends, the barometer of thought often predicted storms, which always came in the form of extra hard examinations. In such moments I envied the most humble calling as something that was at least happy, and often seriously thought of packing my trunk and starting for home. Charley, however, always came to my rescue with some optimistic view of the situation and persuaded me to remain.

At last we graduated and began to practice. Charley went to a large city, hung out his shingle and patiently waited, for he is indeed a poor doctor who has no patients. Charley was as poor as a church mouse, but that did not trouble him in the least. As long as he could pay his rent Charley was hopeful and happy. He understood medicine thoroughly but, like many other people who understand their business, did not have the patronage enjoyed by some less competent.

One wild, stormy night, the "office hours" having passed without a call, Charley was preparing to go to bed when there was a loud ring at the bell. The hour was late, and this strange sound was somewhat startling, but Charley immediately opened the door, and a handsome young girl hurriedly entered the house.

"Is Dr. Baker at home?" she asked timidly.

"Yes, madam; I am Dr. Baker."

The girl looked a little surprised and blushed. Then she said excitedly: "My little sister is very sick, and I fear that she may die in my absence, as she is all alone. So please hurry." She faltered a moment, and then continued: "I must tell you, though, doctor, that at present I have not money to pay for your services. Other doctors, on whom I have called, turned me away politely when they heard this, but, oh, sir, it is an urgent case, and you will come, won't you?"

"The matter of money is a secondary consideration," returned Charley. "First let the service be performed."

The girl's pretty face lighted up, and gratitude was expressed in every feature.

Dr. Baker was soon ready, and they set out through the blinding rain and sweeping wind for the bedside of the sick child.

The girl led him to a tenement house and up stairs to a room on the top floor. The room was small and bare, but neat and cozy after the wild street. On a bed in the center of the room was a beautiful little girl about 4 years old. Her silken hair was laced about the white pillow cover, and her little feverish face in its center made the picture of an angel sleeping on a pillow of gold.

Dr. Baker made an examination, and after asking many questions relative to the little one, prescribed some medicine. All that he could do at present being done, he resolved to find out something about this fair young lady, whose handsome face had made an impression on him.

"Doctor," she said, "is this medicine expensive?"

"Well, yes, it is," he answered, "but I'll tell you how that can be overcome. I happen to have some at my office, and I will bring it around tomorrow." This was not the truth, but Charley Baker would do anything for a person he liked.

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"You have a very neat apartment here, Miss—er!"

"Robinson," she said.

"Miss Robinson. Are your parents living, if I may ask?"

"No. Both were killed in a railroad accident some time ago, and since then Mabel, my sister, and I have lived here alone."

"Well, well, it must have been very hard on you to be so suddenly thrown on your own resources."

"It was rather hard at first, but I

managed very well, until lately, when ill luck seemed to single us out for its victims."

They chatted pleasantly for some time, and then Dr. Baker went home.

Many visits followed this one. The child was ill for a long time, and many a night, when the great city was wrapped in the silence of sleep, did Dr. Baker watch beside the bed of that little child, stealing his own rest and health that the little one might not suffer. I don't know why it is, but sickness seems to bring human hearts closer together. It may be that anguish born of a common cause finds sympathy and balm in the heart of another who suffers. It may be that God transmits to them a silent speech which is only heard in the still watches of the night, when the tongue is dumb and fancy has its sway. Be the cause what it may, sickness lights in the breast of those who watch the flickering flame of affection, and the oil of sympathy steadies the flame into love, and when all the outside world is dark and drear this little flame disperses the shadows of depression and warms the soul with its tender heat, making on the dreary shore of life a beacon which the winds of adversity cannot destroy, but brighten by their wrath—a beacon which shall live when all others fade to guide the troubled heart into the safe harbor of its doubt.

Night after night as the doctor and the girl watched that beautiful child they felt that the flickering flame had been kindled, and well it was, for soon the oil of sympathy would be needed to steady the flame and keep warmth in the breast of the girl.

When God's children are too pure for this world, he calls them home, that their purity may never be contaminated. And so he called little Mabel Robinson.

It was just at dawn, that dreary hour of indecision, when the world seems to meditate between the night and day. The shades were up, and the first shafts of the newborn day crept silently through the windows and melted the shadows of the room. The doctor held the child's little hand, and the girl, with tear dimmed eyes, watched the little form whose life was slowly ebbing away. A bar of sunlight struggled through the morning mist and shone on the face of the child, bathing her hair in golden light and whispering some message in her ear, for she smiled and looked to heaven.

The doctor folded the little arms across her breast and kissed her smiling lips, while the sister stood staring, but seeming not to see. Dr. Baker led her to a chair and gave her some stimulant. This revived her, and she asked for Mabel.

"Mabel has gone away," he answered. "God called her home by the first shaft of sunlight."

"And now I am alone!" sobbed the girl.

"Nay, not alone," replied the doctor softly, taking her hand. "Though my skill could not save Mabel, my heart may save you from some of the dreariness and loneliness of the future. Let us bear together this sorrow, and let me share in all these coming years the joys and sorrows of your life, that I may try and comfort you."

"My dear doctor, the tender care you took of Mabel won my heart, and under that same care my life can know no sorrow."

The little child was laid away, and nothing but her memory remained, but the lamp that was lighted in two breasts during the midnight watches of the long sickness burned steadily and bright like a true beacon through the remainder of two lives.—Brooklyn Citizen.

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As It Seemed to Him.
"Doctah, I gwine ax ye' fo' annudder ef dem ermetic powders dat yo' gib me last week w'en I done be'n sick wid de 'spesy."

"Then you have another attack, have you, Jasper?"

"Not 'zactly, sah, but I done drap mer pip down de well, sah, an' fom de way dat powdah puftum in de case er merse'f, I got der right ter t'ink dat ef I drap it down de well hit gwine bring dat pipe ter de sufface in erbout fo' seconds, sah."—Boston Courier.

Love's Labor Lost.
Lizette—Is it a noice place ye have, Marie?

Marie (a new arrival)—Noice enough, but it's bayant me undershaadin' phy they do make me do such quare things. "Quare, Marie?"

"Yis, sure. Ivery mornin' the missus tills me to swape the doost from the flure, and phin O'm done she gives me a rag and makes me shoo the doost back to the flure again."—N. Y. Weekly.

The Requisite.
"He is very nice," said the young woman. "And he bears an illustrious name."

"Yes," replied her extremely practical mother, "but titles don't make any difference in my mind unless they have some standing in the recorder's office. In my opinion what this generation cught to demand is deeds, not words."—Washington Star.

Too Much Ammunition.
"You say you were defeated by unfair means," he said. "How did it happen?"

"W'y, the bloke worked in an extra pair of bellows an' a talkin' machine on me," explained the great pugilist, "an', of course, he could keep right along issuing challenges long after I was so winded I couldn't say a word."—Chicago Post.

More Appropriate.
"Addemup will have been married ten years next Thursday," observed the sentimental member of the firm, "and he's a faithful, industrious fellow. Hadn't we better make him a present of a nice lot of tinware in honor of the occasion?"

"Wouldn't it be better," said the practical member of the firm, "to add a little more tin to his salary?"—Chicago Tribune.

From the Post Office.
The Visitor—My man, what are you in the penitentiary for?

The Gentleman in Stripes—Collectin' stamps.

The Visitor—Collecting stamps? Why, what is wrong in that?

The Gentleman in Stripes—Nothin', but dey said I ought to have took the canceled ones only.—Cincinnati Tribune.

A Question of Quality.
"Do you think," said the lady who was shopping, "that anybody would steal this umbrella if I were to leave it for a few minutes?"

"Really, madam," replied the clerk, "I shouldn't like to venture an opinion without first examining the umbrella."—Washington Star.

A Powerful Reason.
Assistant Editor—There's nothing to tell the column, sir.

Editor—Tell the foreman to set a lot of type at random, and we'll call it a Scotch dialect story.—N. Y. Tribune.

A Supposititious Case.
Powell—But for your birth you would be my equal.

Howell—Yes; if I had never been born I suppose I should be a nonentity, too.—Demorest's Magazine.

A Troubled Man.
I'd rather be most any man.

In history's class or fame's bright bands Than Atlas, for he's always had A world of trouble on his hands.

—Cincinnati Tribune.

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